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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 20th Saturday in 1916 (13th May 1916).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1916: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE.														
Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	0	37	...	...	1	90	...	...	...	...				
City & Taluk ...	1	38	0	62	3	70	5	63	— 1	93				
Hoskote ...	...	...	0	92	1	26	3	88	— 2	62				
Dodballapur ...	0	05	0	44	1	45	3	97	— 2	52	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	6·25
Nelamangala ...	0	15	0	64	4	24	4	83	— 0	59				
Kankanhalli ...	0	10	1	32	1	94	4	59	— 2	65	Ragi	16·00	16·00	13·94
Magadi ...	0	06	0	75	3	31	4	29	— 0	98	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	11·81
Channapatna ...	0	65	1	42	4	52	4	92	— 0	40	Kadale	7·00	7·00	9·31
Anekal ...	...	...	0	97	1	74	4	95	— 3	21				
Devanhalli ...	...	...	0	91	3	06	4	81	— 1	75				
Closepet ...	...	...	0	94	4	21	4	74	— 0	53				
District average...	0	24	0	89	2	94	4	66	— 1	72				
KOLAR.														
Kolar ...	...	...	0	29	0	65	3	57	— 2	92				
Bowringpet ...	0	17	0	36	0	87	3	73	— 2	86	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	7·72
Chintamani ...	0	30	0	38	3	21	3	13	+ 0	08				
Mulbagal ...	0	35	0	37	0	97	3	94	— 2	97	Ragi	15·00	15·00	17·23
Sidlaghatta ...	0	10	0	69	1	34	3	72	— 2	38	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	11·75
Chikballapur ...	0	09	0	36	1	01	3	38	— 2	37				
Bagepalli ...	0	17	0	22	0	23	2	41	— 2	18	Kadale	7 to 8·00	7 to 8·00	9·10
Goribidnur ...	...	...	0	40	0	75	2	50	— 1	75				
Malur ...	0	10	0	69	1	37	4	02	— 2	65				
Srinivaspur ...	...	...	0	50	2	33	3	65	— 1	32				
Gudibanda ...	0	51	0	48	2	13	3	89	— 1	76				
District average...	0	16	0	43	1	35	3	44	— 2	09				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur ...	...	...	0	68	2	81	3	35	— 0	54				
Maddagiri ...	...	...	0	94	0	77	3	58	— 2	81				
Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	...	0	86	3	39	4	34	— 0	95				
Sira ...	0	14	0	54	3	73	3	0	+ 0	73	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Gubbi ...	...	...	0	74	2	58	4	17	— 1	59				
Tiptur ...	...	...	0	67	3	33	3	91	— 0	58	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·80
Pavagada ...	...	...	0	27	1	55	2	39	— 0	84	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	10·00
Kunigal ...	...	...	0	62	2	99	3	43	— 0	44	Kadale	7·00	7·00	8·80
Koratagere ...	0	40	0	86	1	18	3	54	— 2	36				
Turuvekere ...	...	...	0	80	2	31	4	04	— 1	73				
District average ...	0	05	0	69	2	46	3	57	— 1	11				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1916: This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (−) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	
MYSORE.						
Mysore	1 11	0 81	3 37	6 21	— 2 84	
Chamrajnagar	0 36	0 74	5 14	4 44	+ 0 70	
Seringapatam	... ...	1 38	1 58	5 89	— 4 31	
Hunsur	0 83	1 05	1 66	6 57	— 4 91	
Yedatore	0 60	0 73	1 51	4 81	— 3 30	
Heggaddevankote	0 69	1 77	2 65	7 98	— 5 33	
Gundlupet	1 0	1 22	2 72	6 67	— 3 95	
Nanjangud	0 20	0 97	5 45	5 59	— 0 14	
T.-Narsipur	... ...	0 56	2 59	4 65	— 2 06	
Malvalli	... ...	1 13	4 67	4 70	— 0 03	
Mandya	0 50	1 03	4 95	4 96	— 0 01	
Krishnarajpete	0 10	1 29	0 91	6 08	— 5 17	
Nagamangala	... ...	1 27	3 34	4 33	— 0 99	
District average...	0 41	1 07	3 11	5 61	— 2 50	
HASSAN.						
Hassan	0 22	0 82	3 86	5 20	— 1 34	
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 44	0 85	3 49	4 74	— 1 25	Rice, 2nd sort. 8·00 8·00 8·00
Arkalgud	0 25	0 93	1 13	5 29	— 4 16	
Belur	2 0	0 85	4 85	5 0	— 0 15	Ragi 17·00 17·00 17·00
Channarayapatna	... ...	1 62	1 90	5 80	— 3 90	Kulthi 15·50 15·00 13·50
Arsikere	0 12	1 27	2 90	4 17	— 1 27	Kadale 8·00 8·00 8·25
Hole-Narsipur	... ...	1 03	2 14	5 83	— 3 69	
Alur	0 82	1 27	3 56	5 90	— 2 34	
District average...	0 48	1 08	2 98	5 24	— 2 26	
SHIMOGA.						
Shimoga	... ...	0 19	2 40	4 41	— 2 01	
Channagiri	0 47	0 42	2 16	3 43	— 1 27	Rice, 2nd sort. 7·00 7·00 7·93
Honnali	1 60	0 29	5 38	2 72	+ 2 66	
Shikarpur	0 16	0 19	4 56	2 92	+ 1 64	Ragi 19·00 18·00 17·00
Sorab	0 25	0 31	1 57	2 78	— 1 21	Kulthi 14·50 14·00 11·50
Sagar	... ...	0 26	0 50	3 33	— 2 83	
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	... ...	0 25	2 35	2 90	— 0 55	
Tirthahalli	... ...	0 36	1 30	3 09	— 1 79	
Kumsi	1 30	0 43	4 34	3 91	+ 0 43	
District average...	0 42	0 30	2 72	3 27	— 0 55	
KADUR.						
Chikmagalur	0 90	1 59	4 83	5 84	— 1 01	
Kadur	0 08	1 13	0 78	2 89	— 2 11	Rice, 2nd sort. 6 to 9·00 6 to 9·00 8·00
Tarikere	0 38	0 90	2 07	3 75	— 1 68	
Koppa	0 65	0 98	4 55	5 05	— 0 50	Ragi 16·00 16·00 16·00
Mudgere	2 14	1 32	4 22	5 23	— 1 01	
Narasimharajapura	1 52	0 90	5 21	4 40	+ 0 81	Kulthi 13·00 13·00 10·00
Sringeri	... ...	1 18	1 18	3 97	— 2 79	Kadale 7 to 7·50 8·00 7·00
District average...	0 81	1 14	3 26	4 45	— 1 19	
CHITALDRUG.						
Chitaldrug	... ...	0 34	3 21	2 76	+ 0 45	
Challakere	... ...	0 82	1 0	2 56	— 1 56	Rice, 2nd sort. 7·00 7·00 8·00
Hiriyur	... ...	1 12	0 45	4 52	— 4 07	
Holalkere	0 26	0 33	2 19	3 03	— 0 84	Ragi 20·00 20·00 20·00
Davangere	... ...	0 32	2 57	1 91	+ 0 66	Kulthi 14·00 14·00 16·00
Molakalmuru	0 22	0 55	0 61	2 43	— 1 82	Cholum 18·00 18·00 19·00
Jagalur	... ...	1 0	0 19	2 90	— 2 71	Kadale 7·00 7·00 8·00
Hosdurga	... ...	0 76	0 85	3 82	— 2 97	
Harihar	... ...	0 31	1 73	2 53	— 0 80	
District average...	0 05	0 62	1 42	2 94	— 1 52	
... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	
Provincial average...	0 33	0 78	2 53	4 14	— 1 61	

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·25	7·61
Ragi	16·00	16·00	15·01
Kulthi	14·50	14·50	14·41
Kadale	8·50	8·50	9·10

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7·13	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·44	16·50	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		7·19	

Agricultural operations.—Manure is being collected and fields are being ploughed. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and manuring operations are in progress in parts of Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and in Closepet Sub-Taluk. Sugar-cane is being planted in parts of Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks. Weeding in the paddy fields is going on in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. Potato is being sown in parts of Anekal Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy, sugar-cane and nati ragi are in a fair condition.

Outturn of the harvested crops.—Nil.

Damage to crops.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in certain parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur and Anekal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in certain parts of Magadi and Anekal Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Malur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Chikballapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk—yield 4 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane crops under wells are reported to be in good condition. Paddy crops are withering for want of rain.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Prices of food grains continue high. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Chintamani Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be suffering from some disease in parts of Chintamani Taluk. A report in the matter has been called for. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal and Maddagiri Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk; green gram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.